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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2005-06 REGULAR SESSION

# **ASSEMBLY BILL**

No. 1646

# Introduced by Committee on Higher Education (Liu (Chair), Bass, Shirley Horton, Matthews, and Nava)

February 22, 2005

An act-relating to community colleges to amend Sections 70901.1, 71028, 71040, 72104, 72401, 72675, 72682, 76067, 76141, 76142, 76240, 76300, 76360, 76375, 78020, 78021, 78032, 78103, 78271, 84751, 85235, 85236, 85237, 85237.5, 85238, 85239, 85240, 85243, 85244, 85265.5, 85280, 85281, 85282, 85284, 85288, 85301, 85302, 87061, and 87781 of, to amend and renumber Section 72425 of, and to repeal Sections 66010.8 and 78275.5 of, the Education Code, relating to public postsecondary education.

## LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1646, as amended, Committee on Higher Education. Community—Public postsecondary education: community colleges: funding. technical revisions.

# **Existing**

(1) Existing law establishes the University of California, the California State University, and the California Community Colleges as the 3 segments of public postsecondary education in the state. An existing provision of law prohibits a public institution of postsecondary education from admitting, enrolling, or permitting the attendance of any person who is not a citizen of the United States, an alien lawfully admitted as a permanent resident in the United States, or a person who is otherwise authorized under federal law to be present in the United States. This provision has been declared invalid by a federal court. the

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This bill would repeal this provision.

(2) Existing law establishes the California Community Colleges under the administration of the Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges. Existing law authorizes the establishment of community college districts under the administration of community college governing boards, and authorizes these districts to provide instruction at community college campuses throughout the state. Existing law establishes a system for the apportionment of state funding to community college districts. This system is generally based on calculations related to the number of full-time equivalent students (FTES) in attendance at each district.

This bill would express the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to make technical changes to the provision that establishes the system for the apportionment of state funding to community college districts recast and revise numerous statutes relating to the operation and organization of the California Community Colleges system and its component districts and campuses. The bill would make various nonsubstantive technical and conforming changes in these statutes. Among other technical and conforming revisions, the bill would change existing statutory references to "average daily attendance" to "full-time equivalent students (FTES)," references to "school" authorities and programs to "college" authorities and programs, and references to "certificated" personnel to "academic" personnel.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no-yes. State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:* 

- SECTION 1. It is the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that will make technical changes to Section 84750 of the Education Code.
- 4 SECTION 1. Section 66010.8 of the Education Code is 5 repealed.
- 6 66010.8. (a) No public institution of postsecondary education shall admit, enroll, or permit the attendance of any person who is
- 8 not a citizen of the United States, an alien lawfully admitted as a
- 9 permanent resident in the United States, or a person who is
- 10 otherwise authorized under federal law to be present in the
- 11 United States.

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(b) Commencing with the first term or semester that begins after January 1, 1995, and at the commencement of each term or semester thereafter, each public postsecondary educational institution shall verify the status of each person enrolled or in attendance at that institution in order to ensure the enrollment or attendance only of United States citizens, aliens lawfully admitted as permanent residents in the United States, and persons who are otherwise authorized under federal law to be present in the United States.

(c) No later than 45 days after the admissions officer of a public postsecondary educational institution becomes aware of the application, enrollment, or attendance of a person determined to be, or who is under reasonable suspicion of being, in the United States in violation of federal immigration laws, that officer shall provide that information to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, the Attorney General of California, and the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service. The information shall also be provided to the applicant, enrollee, or person admitted.

SEC. 2. Section 70901.1 of the Education Code is amended to read:

70901.1. (a)—The Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges shall adopt regulations that permit the governing board of a community college district to allow applications for admission and student residency determination forms to be submitted electronically. The regulations shall require that applicants and students be informed of the relative security of the information they submit electronically.

(b) Upon adoption of a standard of encrypted digital signatures by the Secretary of State, the Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges shall adopt regulations that permit the governing board of a community college district to allow student residency determination forms to be submitted electronically.

SEC. 3. Section 71028 of the Education Code is amended to read:

71028. The board of governors shall adopt regulations to ensure that the California Community Colleges, as a system, establish and apply—the statewide participation goals for contracting with minority business enterprises and women

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business enterprises specified in Section 10115 of the Public Contract Code. The statewide participation goal for the 3 California Community Colleges shall be based upon the total 4 dollar amount of contracts awarded, with not less than 15 percent 5 being awarded to public works contracting processes that ensure 6 nondiscrimination on the basis of race or gender and that 7 provide equal opportunity for participation in public works 8 contracting to all, including minority business enterprises, and not less than 5 percent being awarded to women business enterprises, and disabled veteran business enterprises. The 10 regulations adopted by the board of governors shall be adapted 11 12 from and consistent with the provisions of Article 1.5 (commencing with Section 10115) of Chapter 1 of Part 1 of the 13 14 Public Contract Code shall ensure that districts are authorized, 15 legally permissible. to extent eliminate the underrepresentation of minority business enterprises, women 16 17 business enterprises, and disabled veteran business enterprises 18 in public works contracting. 19

SEC. 4. Section 71040 of the Education Code is amended to read:

71040. The board of governors may allow actual and necessary travel expenses to community college students, faculty, staff, or other community college officials *or employer* who serve on study teams, task forces, or similar groups formed by the board of governors or by the chancellor's office and who, as official student, faculty, staff, or official representatives in these capacities, attend meetings of any association, organization, or agency which has as its principal purpose the study of matters pertinent to education or to a particular field or fields of education relevant to community colleges.

SEC. 5. Section 72104 of the Education Code is amended to read:

72104. No member of the governing board of a community college district shall, during the term for which he *or she* was elected, be eligible to serve on the governing board of a high school district whose boundaries are coterminous with those of the community college district.

38 SEC. 6. Section 72401 of the Education Code is amended to 39 read:

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72401. (a) Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, any person may be permitted by the governing board of any community college district to serve as a nonteaching volunteer aide under the immediate supervision and direction of the eertificated academic personnel of the district to perform noninstructional work—which that serves to assist—such eertificated the academic personnel in the performance of teaching and administrative responsibilities. Such—a A nonteaching volunteer aide shall not be an employee of the district and shall serve without compensation of any type or other benefits accorded to employees of the district, except as provided in Section 3364.5 of the Labor Code.

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(b) No district may abolish any of its classified positions and utilize volunteer aides, as authorized herein, in lieu of classified employees who are laid off as a result of the abolition of a position; nor may a. A district shall not refuse to employ a person in a vacant classified position and use volunteer aides in lieu thereof.

It is the intent of the Legislature to permit community college districts to use volunteer aides to enhance its educational program but not to permit displacement of classified

- (c) Volunteer aides may be used to enhance a district's educational program, but not to displace classified employees nor to allow districts to utilize volunteers in lieu of normal employee requirements.
- SEC. 7. Section 72425 of the Education Code is amended and renumbered to read:

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- 72024. (a) (1) In any community college district that is not located in a city and county, and in which the average daily attendance full-time equivalent students (FTES) for the prior school college year exceeded 60,000, the governing board may prescribe, as compensation for the services of each member of the board who actually attends all meetings held by the board, a sum not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500) in any month.
- (2) In any community college district in which the average daily attendance FTES for the prior-school college year was 60,000 or less, but more than 25,000, each member of the

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1 governing board of the district who actually attends all meetings 2 held by the board, may receive as compensation for his or her 3 services a sum not to exceed seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750) 4 in any month.

- (3) In any community college district in which the average daily attendance FTES for the prior school college year was 25,000 or less, but more than 10,000, each member of the governing board of the district who actually attends all meetings held may receive as compensation for his or her services a sum not to exceed four hundred dollars (\$400) in any month.
- (4) In any community college district in which the average daily attendance FTES for the prior—school college year was 10,000 or less, but more than 1,000, each member of the governing board of the district who actually attends all meetings held by the board may receive as compensation for his or her services a sum not to exceed two hundred forty dollars (\$240) in any month.
- (5) In any community college district in which the average daily attendance *FTES* for the prior—school college year was 1,000 or less, but more than 150, each member of the governing board of the district who actually attends all meetings held by the board may receive as compensation for his or her services a sum not to exceed one hundred twenty dollars (\$120) in any month.
- (b) Any member of a governing board who does not attend all meetings held by the board in any month may receive, as compensation for his or her services, an amount not greater than a pro rata share of the number of meetings actually attended based upon the maximum compensation authorized by this subdivision.
- (c) The compensation of members of the governing board of a community college district newly organized or reorganized shall be governed by subdivision (a). For this purpose, the total average daily attendance FTES in all of the community colleges of the district in the school college year in which the organization or reorganization became effective pursuant to Section 4062 shall be deemed to be the average daily attendance FTES in the district for the prior-school college year.
- (d) A member may be paid for any meeting when absent if the board by resolution duly adopted and included in its minutes finds that, at the time of the meeting, he or she is performing

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services outside the meeting for the community college district, he or she was ill or on jury duty, or the absence was due to a hardship deemed acceptable by the board. The compensation shall be a charge against the funds of the district.

- (e) On an annual basis, the governing board may increase the compensation of individual board members beyond the limits delineated in this section, in an amount not to exceed 5 percent based on the present monthly rate of compensation. Any increase made pursuant to this section shall be effective upon approval by the governing board. The action may be rejected by a majority of the voters in that district voting in a referendum established for that purpose, as prescribed by Chapter 3 (commencing with Section 17200) of Part 2 of Division 17 of the Elections Code.
- SEC. 8. Section 72675 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 72675. (a) The board of directors of an auxiliary organization shall approve all expenditures and fund appropriations. Appropriations of funds for use outside of the normal business operations of the auxiliary organization shall be approved in accordance with district policy and regulations by an officer designated by the district governing board.

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(b) The district governing board, in consultation with the board of governors and the boards of directors of the various auxiliary organizations described in Section 72673 accordance with regulations of the Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges, shall do all of the following:

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(1) Institute a standard systemwide accounting and reporting system for businesslike management of the operation of such these auxiliary organizations.

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(2) Implement financial standards—which that will—assure ensure the fiscal viability of—such these various auxiliary organizations. Such The standards shall include proper provision for professional management, adequate working capital, adequate reserve funds for current operations and capital replacements, and adequate provisions for new business requirements.

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(3) Institute procedures to—assure ensure that transactions of the auxiliary organizations are within the educational mission of the district.

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- (4) Develop policies for the appropriation of funds derived from indirect cost payments not required to implement subdivision (b) paragraph (2). Uses of-such these funds shall be regularly reported to the district governing board.
- SEC. 9. Section 72682 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 72682. An auxiliary organization which that was in existence on August 31, 1980, shall continue to operate under—the provisions of Article 6 (commencing with Section 72670) of Chapter 6 of Part 45, as it read immediately prior to August 30, 1980, until—such the time, if any,—as that the organization is approved recognized pursuant to this article.
- SEC. 10. Section 76067 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 76067. Any student political organization—which that is affiliated with the official youth division of any political party that is on the ballot of the State of California may hold meetings on a community college campus, and may distribute bulletins and circulars concerning its meetings, provided that there is no endorsement of—such that organization by the school authorities and no interference with the regular educational program of the school district.
- SEC. 11. Section 76141 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 76141. (a) In addition to the nonresident tuition fee established pursuant to Section 76140, a community college district may charge to nonresident students who are both citizens and residents of a foreign country an amount not to exceed the amount that was expended by the district for capital outlay in the preceding fiscal year divided by the total full-time equivalent students of the district in the preceding fiscal year. Any
- (b) Any fee charged pursuant to this section shall not exceed 50 percent of the nonresident tuition fee established pursuant to Section 76140. Any
- 39 (c)(1) Any student who can demonstrate economic hardship or 40 who is a victim of persecution or discrimination in the country in

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which the student is a citizen and resident is exempt from this fee.

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(2) For purposes of this subdivision section, the governing board of each community college district that chooses to impose the charge fee authorized by this section shall adopt a definition of economic hardship that encompasses the financial circumstances of a person who is a recipient of benefits under the Aid to Families with Dependent Children Temporary Assistance for Needy Families program described in Parts A and F of Title IV of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C., Secs. 601 et seq.), the Supplemental Income/State Supplementary Program, or a general assistance program.

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- (d) Revenue from any fee charged pursuant to this section shall be expended only for purposes of capital outlay, maintenance, and equipment.
- 18 SEC. 12. Section 76142 of the Education Code is amended to 19 read:
  - 76142. (a) A community college district may charge nonresident applicants who are both citizens and residents of a foreign country a processing fee not to exceed the lesser of: (1) the actual cost of processing an application and other documentation required by the federal government, or (2) one hundred dollars (\$100), which may be deducted from the tuition fee at the time of enrollment. No
  - (b) No processing fee shall be charged to an applicant who would be eligible for an exemption from nonresident tuition pursuant to Section 76140 or who can demonstrate economic hardship. For purposes of this section, the governing board of each community college district that chooses to impose the fee authorized by this section shall adopt a definition of economic hardship that includes the financial circumstances of a person who is a victim of persecution or discrimination in the foreign country in which the applicant is a citizen and resident, or who is a recipient of benefits under the Aid to Families with Dependent Children Temporary Assistance for Needy Families program described in Parts A and F of Title IV of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C., Secs. 601 et seq.), the Supplemental Income/State Supplementary Program, or a general assistance program.

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1 SEC. 13. Section 76240 of the Education Code is amended to 2 read:

- 76240. (a) (1) Community college districts shall adopt a policy identifying those categories of directory information, as defined in subdivision (b) of Section 76210 which under Section 1232g of Title 20 of the United States Code as it exists on January 1, 2006, that may be released. The names and addresses of students may be provided to a private school or college operating under Sections 8080 to 8093, inclusive, Sections 33190 and 33191, Sections 60670 to 60672, inclusive, or Sections 94000 to 94409, inclusive, or its authorized representative. However, no private school or college shall use this information for other than purposes directly related to the academic or professional goals of the institution; any. violation
- (2) Any violation of this—provision subdivision is a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500), and, in addition, the privilege of the school or college to receive this information shall be suspended for a period of two years from the time of discovery of the misuse of the information.

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(b) Any community college district may limit or deny the release of specific categories of directory information based upon a determination of the best interests of students.

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- (c) Directory information may be released according to local policy as to any former student or any student currently attending the community college. However, public notice shall be given at least annually of the categories of information which the district plans to release and of the recipients. No directory information shall be released regarding any student or former student when the student or former student has notified the institution that the information shall not be released.
- 34 SEC. 14. Section 76300 of the Education Code is amended to read:
  - 76300. (a) The governing board of each community college district shall charge each student a fee pursuant to this section.
  - (b) (1) The fee prescribed by this section shall be eighteen dollars (\$18) per unit per semester, effective with the fall term of the 2003–04 academic year.

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(2) Notwithstanding paragraph (1), the fee prescribed by this section shall be twenty-six dollars (\$26) per unit per semester, effective with the fall term of the 2004–05 academic year.

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- (2) The-chancellor board of governors shall proportionately adjust the amount of the fee for term lengths based upon a quarter system, and also shall proportionately adjust the amount of the fee for summer sessions, intersessions, and other short-term courses. In making these adjustments, the-chancellor board of governors may round the per unit fee and the per term or per session fee to the nearest dollar.
- (c) For the purposes of computing apportionments to community college districts pursuant to Section 84750, the chancellor board of governors shall subtract, from the total revenue owed to each district, 98 percent of the revenues received by districts from charging a fee pursuant to this section.
- (d) The—chancellor board of governors shall reduce apportionments by up to 10 percent to any district that does not collect the fees prescribed by this section.
- (e) The fee requirement does not apply to any of the following:
- (1) Students enrolled in the noncredit courses designated by Section 84757.
- (2) California State University or University of California students enrolled in remedial classes provided by a community college district on a campus of the University of California or a campus of the California State University, for whom the district claims an attendance apportionment pursuant to an agreement between the district and the California State University or the University of California.
- (3) Students enrolled in credit contract education courses pursuant to Section 78021, if the entire cost of the course, including administrative costs, is paid by the public or private agency, corporation, or association with which the district is contracting and if these students are not included in the calculation of the full-time equivalent students (FTES) of that district.
- (f) The governing board of a community college district may exempt special part-time students admitted pursuant to Section 76001 from the fee requirement.

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(g) (1) The fee requirements of this section shall be waived for any student who, at the time of enrollment, is a recipient of benefits under the Temporary Assistance to Needy Families program, the Supplemental Security Income/State Supplementary Program, or a general assistance program or has demonstrated financial need in accordance with the methodology set forth in federal law or regulation for determining the expected family contribution of students seeking financial aid.

- (2) The governing board of a community college district also shall waive the fee requirements of this section for any student who demonstrates eligibility according to income standards established by *regulations of* the board of governors—and contained in Section 58620 of Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations.
- (h) The fee requirements of this section shall be waived for any student who, at the time of enrollment is a dependent, or surviving spouse who has not remarried, of any member of the California National Guard who, in the line of duty and while in the active service of the state, was killed, died of a disability resulting from an event that occurred while in the active service of the state, or is permanently disabled as a result of an event that occurred while in the active service of the state. "Active service of the state," for the purposes of this subdivision, refers to a member of the California National Guard activated pursuant to Section 146 of the Military and Veterans Code.
- (i) The fee requirements of this section shall be waived for any student who is the surviving spouse or the child, natural or adopted, of a deceased person who met all of the requirements of Section 68120.
- (j) The fee requirements of this section shall be waived for any student in an undergraduate program, including a student who has previously graduated from another undergraduate or graduate program, who is the dependent of any individual killed in the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center and the Pentagon or the crash of United Airlines Flight 93 in southwestern Pennsylvania, if that dependent meets the financial need requirements set forth in Section 69432.7 for the Cal Grant A Program and either of the following apply:
- 39 (1) The dependent was a resident of California on September 40 11, 2001.

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(2) The individual killed in the attacks was a resident of California on September 11, 2001.

- (k) A determination of whether a person is a resident of California on September 11, 2001, for purposes of subdivision (j) shall be based on the criteria set forth in Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 68000) of Part 41 for determining nonresident and resident tuition.
- (*l*) (1) "Dependent," for purposes of subdivision (j), is a person who, because of his or her relationship to an individual killed as a result of injuries sustained during the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001, qualifies for compensation under the federal September 11th Victim Compensation Fund of 2001 (Title IV (commencing with Section 401) of Public Law 107-42).
- (2) A dependent who is the surviving spouse of an individual killed in terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001, is entitled to the waivers provided in this section until January 1, 2013.
- (3) A dependent who is the surviving child, natural or adopted, of an individual killed in the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001, is entitled to the waivers under subdivision (j) until that person attains the age of 30 years.
- (4) A dependent of an individual killed in the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001, who is determined to be eligible by the California Victim Compensation and Government Claims Board, is also entitled to the waivers provided in this section until January 1, 2013.
- (m) (1) It is the intent of the Legislature that sufficient funds be provided to support the provision of a fee waiver for every student who demonstrates eligibility pursuant to subdivisions (g) to (j), inclusive.
- (2) From funds provided in the annual Budget Act, the board of governors shall allocate to community college districts, pursuant to this subdivision, an amount equal to 2 percent of the fees waived pursuant to subdivisions (g) to (j), inclusive. From funds provided in the annual Budget Act, the board of governors shall allocate to community college districts, pursuant to this subdivision, an amount equal to ninety-one cents (\$0.91) per credit unit waived pursuant to subdivisions (g) to (j), inclusive, for determination of financial need and delivery of student financial aid services, on the basis of the number of students for whom fees are waived. Funds allocated to a community college

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district for determination of financial need and delivery of student financial aid services shall supplement, and shall not supplant, the level of funds allocated for the administration of student financial aid programs during the 1992–93 fiscal year.

- (n) The board of governors shall adopt regulations implementing this section.
- SEC. 15. Section 76360 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 76360. (a) (1) The governing board of a community college district may require students in attendance and—employers employees of the district to pay a fee, in an amount not to exceed forty dollars (\$40) per semester and twenty dollars (\$20) per intersession to be established by the board, for parking services. The fee shall only be required of students and employees using parking services and shall not exceed the actual cost of providing parking services.

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- (2) To encourage ridesharing and carpooling, for a student who certifies, in accordance with procedures established by the board, that he or she regularly has two or more passengers commuting to the community college with him or her in the vehicle parked at the community college, the fee shall not exceed thirty dollars (\$30) per semester and ten dollars (\$10) per intersession.
- (b) (1) The governing board may require payment of a parking fee at a campus in excess of the limits set forth in subdivision (a) for the purpose of funding the construction of on-campus parking facilities if both of the following conditions exist at the campus:

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(A) The full-time equivalent (FTES) per parking space on the campus exceeds the statewide average FTES per parking space on community college campuses.

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(B) The market price per square foot of land adjacent to the campus exceeds the statewide average market price per square foot of land adjacent to community college campuses.

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(2) If the governing board requires payment of a parking fee in excess of the limits set forth in subdivision (a), the fee may not exceed the actual cost of constructing a parking structure.

- (c) Students who receive financial assistance pursuant to any programs described in subdivision (g) of Section 76300 shall be exempt from parking fees imposed pursuant to this section that exceed twenty dollars (\$20) per semester.
- (d) The governing board of a community college district may also require the payment of a fee, to be established by the governing board, for the use of parking services by persons other than students and employees.
- (e) All parking fees collected shall be deposited in the designated fund of the district in accordance with the California Community Colleges Budget and Accounting Manual, and shall be expended only for parking services or for purposes of reducing the costs to students and employees of the college of using public transportation to and from the college.
- (f) Fees collected for use of parking services provided for by investment of student body funds under the authority of Section 76064 shall be deposited in a designated fund in accordance with the California Community Colleges Budget and Accounting Manual for repayment to the student organization.
- (g) "Parking services," as used in this section, means the purchase, construction, and operation and maintenance of parking facilities for vehicles and motor vehicles as defined by Sections 415 and 670 of the Vehicle Code.
- SEC. 16. Section 76375 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 76375. (a) (1) The governing board—of trustees of a community college district may establish an annual building and operating fee for the purpose of financing, constructing, enlarging, remodeling, refurbishing, and operating a student body center, which fee shall be required of all students attending a community college where the student body center is to be located. The
- (2) The fee shall be imposed by the governing board—of trustees, at its option, only after a favorable vote of two-thirds of the students voting in an election held for that purpose at a community college, in the manner prescribed by the Chancellor Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges, and

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open to all regular students enrolled in credit classes at the community college. The election shall occur on a regularly scheduled-schoolday college day and at least 20 percent of the students enrolled in credit classes as of October 1 of the school college year during which the election is held must cast a ballot for the election to be declared valid. The

(3) The annual building and operating fee shall not exceed one dollar (\$1) per credit hour, up to a maximum of ten dollars (\$10) per student per fiscal year. The fee requirement shall not apply to students enrolled in the noncredit courses designated by Section 84711 84757. The fee requirement shall not apply to a student who is a recipient of the benefits under the Aid to Families with Dependent Children Temporary Assistance for Needy Families program, the Supplemental Security Income/State Supplementary Program, or the General Assistance program.

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(4) The fee authorized by this section shall be supplemental to all other fees charged to community college students.

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- (5) If fee income is used to retire obligations the district incurs when it uses a revenue bond to construct a student center, the fee shall remain in effect at least until the bond obligation is retired.
- (b) The chief fiscal officer of each Each community college district shall be responsible for the custody of the moneys collected pursuant to this section, and shall provide the necessary accounting records and controls thereof. The district shall be reimbursed from these funds in an amount to cover the cost of custodial and accounting services provided by the district in connection with these funds. These funds may be expended by the chief fiscal officer district only upon submission and approval of the appropriate claim schedule by the student government or its designee.
- (c) All unexpended funds and money collected by any community college district pursuant to this section shall be available for financing, constructing, enlarging, remodeling, refurbishing, and operating a student body center, and until so used, shall, subject to the approval of the student government, be deposited or invested in trust by the chief fiscal officer of the appropriate district official in any one or more of the following ways:

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(1) Deposits in trust accounts of a bank or banks whose accounts are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

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- (2) Investment certificates or withdrawable shares in state chartered savings and loan associations and savings accounts of federal savings and loan associations, if the associations are doing business in this state and have their accounts insured by the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation.
- (3) Purchase of any of the securities authorized for investment by Section 16430 of the Government Code.
- (4) Participation funds that are exempt from federal income tax pursuant to Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Title 26 of the United States Code and that are open exclusively to nonprofit colleges, universities, and independent schools.
- (5) Investment certificates or withdrawable shares in federal or state credit unions, if the credit unions are doing business in this state and have their accounts insured by the National Credit Union Administration and if any money so invested or deposited is invested or deposited in certificates, shares, or accounts fully recovered by that insurance.
- (6) Deposits with the county treasurer of the county in which the district is located.
- (d) The student government of a community college with an annual building and operating fee pursuant to this section shall determine the appropriate uses of the fee income and the student body center facility itself.
- SEC. 17. Section 78020 of the Education Code is amended to read:
  - 78020. For purposes of this article:
- (a) "Contract education" means those situations in which a community college district contracts with a public or private entity for the purposes of providing instruction or services or both by the community college.
- (b) "Credit" refers to any class offered for community college credit, regardless of whether the class generates state apportionments.
- (c) "Noncredit" refers to courses that meet the criteria for apportionment pursuant to Section 84711 84757.
- (d) "Not-for-credit" refers to classes, including community services classes, that are offered without credit and which that

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1 are not eligible for apportionments pursuant to Section 84711 2 84757.

SEC. 18. Section 78021 of the Education Code is amended to read:

78021. (a) The governing board of any community college district may establish, or with one or more community college districts may establish, contract education programs within or outside the state by agreement with any public or private agency, corporation, association, or any other person or body, to provide specific educational programs or training to meet the specific needs of these bodies.

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 (b) The contracting community college district or districts shall recover, from all revenue sources, including, but not necessarily limited to, public and private sources, or any combination thereof, an amount equal to, but not less than, the actual costs, including administrative costs, incurred in providing these programs or training.

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- (c) The attendance of students in these contract education programs shall not be included for purposes of calculating the average daily attendance full-time equivalent students (FTES) for apportionments to these districts, unless all statutory and regulatory conditions for generating—average daily attendance FTES are met.
- SEC. 19. Section 78032 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 78032. (a) Notwithstanding Section 78031, the *The* Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges may, pursuant to a finding that one or more of the following concerns in any community college district requires the restriction of interdistrict attendance, impose one or more restrictions upon interdistrict attendance with regard to that district as it deems necessary:
- (1) Protection of the financial health of the district, and of educational program integrity, including, but not limited to, maintenance of the appropriate quality and scope of student educational opportunity.
- (2) The need to avoid overcrowding, in light of the available space in the district.

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(3) The priority that resident students not be displaced by students who do not reside in the district.

- (4) The avoidance of any serious disruption in the ethnic balance of the student population of any affected district.
- (b) No restriction adopted under subdivision (a) shall apply for a period of longer than two years, absent additional action of the board of governors to continue that restriction.
- (c) (1) No community college district shall recruit any student who is a resident of any other community college district, except where an agreement exists between those districts authorizing each district to recruit within the boundaries of the other district.
- (2) If, pursuant to an agreement as described in paragraph (1), a community college district recruits within the boundaries of another community college district, it shall recruit from all high schools within that other district, and may not favor any high schools over other high schools within that other district unless it is intended to improve the racial balance of the recruiting community college district.
  - (3) For purposes of this section:

- (A) "Recruiting" means either or both of the following actions by a community college district, where the apparent purpose is to encourage student attendance in that district:
- (i) The mailing by a community college district, to any address not within its boundaries, of class schedules or other written information, except to current or former students of the district or at the addressee's request.
- (ii) The personal visit by a representative of the community college district to any high school, except in response to an invitation from the school district of which the high school is a part.
- (B) "Recruiting" does not include any information provided by a community college district through radio, television, or any newspaper or other publication that is not published or otherwise issued by the district, and for which distribution is not limited to residents of the district.
- (d) The board of governors shall authorize the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges to retain in any fiscal year an amount of up to 5 percent of the appropriation calculated under Chapter 5 (commencing with Section 84700) of Part 50 as a penalty applicable to any community college district that violates

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1 this article, including, but not necessarily limited to, any

- restriction imposed by the board of governors under this section.
- 3 Any funds retained pursuant to this subdivision shall revert to the 4 General Fund.
- 5 SEC. 20. Section 78103 of the Education Code is amended to 6 read:
  - 78103. The libraries shall be open for the use of the faculty and the students of the community college district during the day. In addition, the libraries may be open at other hours, including evenings and Saturdays, as the governing board may determine. Libraries open to serve students during evening and Saturday hours shall be under the supervision of certificated academic personnel or those employed pursuant to minimum standards adopted by the board of governors.
  - SEC. 21. Section 78271 of the Education Code is amended to read:
  - 78271. The *State* Department of Aeronauties *Transportation* is authorized to make available to community colleges offering actual flight experience as part of the regular curriculum a basic insurance program and to assure ensure that adequate supervision and precautionary measures are taken by the flight school operators contracted to provide services for community college students. The governing board of any community college district offering actual flight experience as part of the regular curriculum may participate in the basic insurance program provided by the commission department, and pay from the funds of the district a pro rata share of the cost of the insurance program.
  - SEC. 22. Section 78275.5 of the Education Code is repealed. 78275.5. (a) On or before January 1, 2003, the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges, in consultation with the Chancellor of the California State University, the President of the University of California, the Association of Independent California Colleges and Universities, and with representatives of accredited colleges and universities in other states, shall submit a written report to the Legislature on the feasibility of the development of all of the following for operation commencing with the 2004–05 academic year:
  - (1) The establishment of a model teacher preparation curriculum that would be available to qualified students in each community college district in the state.

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(2) The establishment of financial incentives, including, but not necessarily limited to, grant, loan, and loan forgiveness programs, for community college students who wish to become teachers.

- (3) The offering of community college teacher preparation courses that will provide academic credits that are fully transferable to the California State University.
- (4) The guaranteeing of the transfer of students who successfully complete the community college teacher preparation curriculum to appropriate status in teacher preparation programs of the California State University.
- (b) Prior to the implementation or funding of any recommendations of the feasibility study pursuant to subdivision (a), the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges shall report during the 2003–04 legislative budget hearings on the fiscal implications of implementing any or all recommendations of the feasibility study.
- SEC. 23. Section 84751 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 84751. In calculating each community college district's revenue level for each fiscal year pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 84750, the chancellor board of governors shall subtract, from the total revenues owed, all of the following:
- (a) The local property tax revenue specified by law for general operating support, exclusive of bond interest and redemption.
- (b) Ninety-eight percent of the fee revenues collected pursuant to Sections Section 76300 and 76330.
- (c) Timber yield tax revenues received pursuant to Section 38905.1 of the Revenue and Taxation Code.
- (d) Any amounts received pursuant to Section 33492.15, 33607.5, or 33607.7 of the Health and Safety Code, and Section 33676 of the Health and Safety Code as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 1368 of the Statutes of 1990, that are considered to be from property tax revenues pursuant to those sections for the purposes of community college revenue levels, except those amounts that are allocated exclusively for educational facilities.
- (e) Ninety-eight percent of the revenues received through collection of a student fee from a student enrolled in the district who registered or enrolled between July 1, 1995, and the date this act becomes operative.

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1 (f) This section shall become operative on January 1, 1997.

2 SEC. 24. Section 85235 of the Education Code is amended to 3 read:

85235. Each order drawn against the funds of a community college district shall be transmitted to the county superintendent of schools, and, if approved and signed by him *or her* shall become a requisition on the county auditor. The county superintendent may prescribe alternative procedures for districts determined to be fiscally accountable pursuant to Section 85266.

SEC. 25. Section 85236 of the Education Code is amended to read:

85236. The county superintendent of schools may examine each order on community college district funds transmitted to him *or her*, in the order in which it is received in his *or her* office. If it appears that the order is properly drawn for the payment of legally authorized expenses against the proper funds of the district, and that there are sufficient moneys in the fund or funds against which the order is drawn to pay it, he *or she* shall endorse upon it "examined and approved," and shall, in attestation thereof, affix his *or her* signature and number and date the requisition and transmit it directly to the county auditor, in the order in which the order is received in his *or her* office. The county superintendent may prescribe alternative methods for districts determined to be fiscally accountable pursuant to Section 85266.

SEC. 26. Section 85237 of the Education Code is amended to read:

85237. (a) If, at any time during a fiscal year, the county superintendent of schools concludes that the expenditures of a community college district in the territory within his or her jurisdiction are likely to exceed the anticipated income of the district for that fiscal year, he or she shall notify-such the district in writing of such that conclusion, and he may conduct a comprehensive review of the financial and budgetary conditions of the district. The

(b) The superintendent shall report his or her findings and recommendation recommendations under this section to the governing board of the district, and may include recommendations of methods by which the budgeted expenditures for the balance of the fiscal year may be brought

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into balance with the revenue of the district.—Such *The* report shall be made to the governing board at a public meeting of the governing board. The governing board shall, no later than 15 days after receipt of—such the report, notify the county superintendent of schools of its proposed actions on—his those recommendations.

SEC. 27. Section 85237.5 of the Education Code is amended to read:

- 85237.5. (a) At any time during a fiscal year, the county superintendent may audit the expenditures and internal controls of community college districts he *or she* determines to be fiscally accountable. The county superintendent shall report his *or her* findings and recommendation to the governing board of the district. The
- (b) The governing board shall, no later than 15 days after receipt of—such the report made under this section, notify the county superintendent of schools of its proposed actions on his or her recommendation. Upon review of the governing board report, the county superintendent, at his or her discretion, may revoke the authority for the district to be fiscally accountable pursuant to Section 85266.
- SEC. 28. Section 85238 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 85238. If the order is disapproved by the county superintendent of schools, it shall be returned to the governing board of the community college district, except as otherwise provided in this code for the registration of warrants, with a statement of his *or her* reasons for disapproving the order.
- SEC. 29. Section 85239 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 85239. (a) The county auditor may examine each order and requisition on community college district funds transmitted—to him by the county superintendent of schools. If—he the county auditor allows the order and requisition, he or she shall endorse thereon "examined and allowed," and shall date, number, and sign it, whereupon it shall become a warrant on the county treasurer. The county auditor shall detach any bill attached to the requisition, and shall number the bill, giving it the same number which he gives given to the warrant, and file it in his or her office. He The county auditor shall thereupon return the order,

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requisition, and warrant to the county superintendent of schools, who shall transmit it to the governing board of the district for issuance to the payee or to his the order of the payee.

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(b)(1) Any requisition of the county superintendent of schools, whether based upon written order of the governing board of a school community college district or authorized by law, shall constitute full authority for the signature for allowance thereof by the county auditor as a warrant on the county treasurer, and no other authority shall be necessary or required for such that action by the county auditor.

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- (2) "Requisition," as used in this section, includes any order or demand signed by the county superintendent of schools directing the county auditor to draw his or her warrant on the county treasurer.
- SEC. 30. Section 85240 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 85240. (a) In lieu of drawing—his a warrant as provided in Section 85239, the county auditor may, with the approval of the governing board of the community college district, endorse, date, and number the order and requisition, and may prepare a separate warrant on the county treasurer for the same amount as the order and requisition. The warrant shall show that it had been drawn on the order of a community college district—naming, shall name the community college district, and shall show; the payee; and date of issue, as well as other information deemed appropriate by the county auditor.

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(b) The county auditor shall draw-such the separate warrant by signing it, and no other signature shall be required. Thereupon, the county auditor shall transmit the separate warrant to the county superintendent of schools, who shall transmit it to the governing board of the district for issuance to the payee or to-his the order of the payee, or, with the approval of the governing board of the district, shall transmit it to the payee.

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(c) The order and requisition may direct the transfer of the amount of the separate warrant from the funds of the district to a clearing fund in the county treasury—(to, which shall be known as

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the schools commercial revolving fund) Schools Commercial Revolving Fund, to the end that separate warrants for all districts may be drawn against a single revolving fund.

4 SEC. 31. Section 85243 of the Education Code is amended to 5 read:

85243. (a) The *county* superintendent of schools of each eounty shall keep, open to the inspection of the public, a register of warrants, showing the fund upon which the requisitions have been drawn, the number, in whose favor, and for what purpose they were drawn.

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- (b) The county superintendent of schools shall prescribe rules for community college districts—he determines determined to be fiscally accountable, pursuant to Section 85266, that retain copies of warrants and supporting documents within the district files.
- SEC. 32. Section 85244 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 85244. (a) Orders for the payment of wages and payroll orders for the payment of wages of employees employed full time in positions not requiring certification qualifications that are not academic positions shall be drawn twice during each calendar month on days designated in advance by the governing board of each community college district to which this section is made applicable. Labor performed between the 1st and 15th days, inclusive, of any calendar month shall be paid for between the 16th and 26th day of the month during which the labor was performed, and labor performed between the 16th and the last day inclusive, of any calendar month, shall be paid for between the 1st and 10th day of the following month.

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(b) The governing board of each community college district which that has an average daily attendance of 5,000 or more full-time equivalent students (FTES), and the governing board of each district with an average daily attendance of less than 5,000 FTES in a county with a population in excess of 4,000,000 persons as determined by the 1960 federal census, shall make the provisions of this section applicable to the board, whenever a majority of the employees of the district employed full time in positions not requiring certification qualifications that are not academic positions petition the board in writing to do so.

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(c) The governing board of a community college district—which that has an average daily attendance of less than 5,000 FTES, other than—such a school community college district situated in a county with a population in excess of 4,000,000 persons as determined by the 1960 federal census, may, on the petition in writing of a majority of the employees of the district employed full time in positions—not requiring certification—qualifications that are not academic positions, make—the provisions of this section applicable to the board.

SEC. 33. Section 85265.5 of the Education Code is amended to read:

85265.5. (a) In a county in which the board of supervisors has transferred educational functions to the county board of education pursuant to Section 1080, and a single budget has been authorized for the purposes of the county school service fund, county board of education, county committee on school district organization, and the office of the county superintendent of schools pursuant to Sections 1620 to 1625, inclusive, the duties of the county auditor specified in—Articles Article 4 (commencing with Section 85230) and—5 (commencing with Section 85260) of this—chapter this article shall be performed by the county superintendent of schools.

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(b) A listing of all warrants approved and allowed by the county superintendent of schools pursuant to this section shall be forwarded to the county auditor on the same day the warrants are forwarded to the district or the payee. The form of the warrant and the form and content of the warrant listing shall be as prescribed by the county auditor.

# **Notwithstanding**

(c) Notwithstanding Section 27005 of the Government Code, or any other section requiring orders for warrants or warrants to be signed by the county auditor, the county treasurer in counties subject to this section shall pay warrants which that are signed by the county superintendent of schools, and the county auditor shall not be liable under his or her bond or otherwise for any warrant issued pursuant to this section.

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(d) This section shall apply only in those counties in which the county board of supervisors has adopted its provisions by resolution.

SEC. 34. Section 85280 of the Education Code is amended to read:

85280. When any order against the funds of a community college district is presented to the county superintendent of schools, and the order constitutes a valid claim against the funds of the district, and moneys are not available in the funds of the district from which to pay the order, he the county superintendent shall endorse on the order the words "Not approved for want of funds" funds," and shall register the order in the records of his or her office.

SEC. 35. Section 85281 of the Education Code is amended to read:

85281. The county superintendent of schools shall number and date the registered order, and shall transmit the registered order to the governing board of the community college district which that drew the order, and it. The governing board shall deliver the registered order to the payee or his to the order of the payee. From the date of registration, the registered order shall bear interest at the rate of 5 percent per annum until the date upon which notice is given, pursuant to this article, that the county superintendent of schools is ready to approve the registered order.

SEC. 36. Section 85282 of the Education Code is amended to read:

85282. Whenever moneys are available for the payment of the registered order, the county superintendent of schools shall give notice, in a newspaper published in the county, or if there is no newspaper, by written notice posted at the courthouse, stating that he *or she* is ready to approve the order. The notice may list any number of registered orders of one or more districts for the payment of which moneys are available, giving the name or names of the district or districts and listing the registered orders in the order of registration for each district.

SEC. 37. Section 85284 of the Education Code is amended to read:

39 85284. The county superintendent of schools shall approve 40 the registered orders of each district, and sign them as AB 1646 — 28 —

1 requisitions on the county auditor, in the order of their 2 presentation. He *The county superintendent* shall enter on each 3 the amount of interest due and the total amount, including 4 principal and interest, payable. Each approved registered order 5 shall thereupon be governed by the procedure established in this code relative to payments from community college district funds. 5EC. 38. Section 85288 of the Education Code is amended to 8 read:

85288. The county superintendent of schools shall report to the county treasurer and the county auditor within 10 days after the end of each month the amount of the interest computed pursuant to this article. The report shall show each district for which interest has been computed, the numbers of the registered orders for which the interest is to be paid, and the total amount of the interest charged to each district.—He The county superintendent shall also, upon transmitting to the governing board of a community college district registered orders which have been approved and allowed as warrants against the funds of the district, report in writing to the clerk or secretary of the district the amount of interest computed on the registered orders and the numbers of the registered orders for which the interest is to be paid.

SEC. 39. Section 85301 of the Education Code is amended to read:

85301. When any order on community college district funds is received by the county superintendent of schools, and there is insufficient money in the fund or funds against which the order is drawn to pay the order in full, the county superintendent shall endorse on the order "to be registered for lack of sufficient funds," sign, date, and number it as a requisition on the county auditor, and transmit the requisition to the county auditor. The county auditor shall endorse on the order "examined and allowed," sign, date, and number it as a warrant on the county treasurer, and return the warrant to the county superintendent of schools, who shall transmit it to the governing board of the community college district for issuance to the payee or to his *or her* order.

38 SEC. 40. Section 85302 of the Education Code is amended to 39 read:

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85302. When the warrant is presented to the county treasurer for payment, he *or she* shall endorse, register, advertise, and pay it, with interest at the rate of 5 percent per annum, in the manner prescribed, as nearly as may be, for county warrants in Sections 29821 to 29824, inclusive, and Sections 29826 and 29827 of the Government Code.

SEC. 41. Section 87061 of the Education Code is amended to read:

87061. If an employee of a community college district, including a district having the merit system as outlined in Article 3 (commencing with Section 88060) of Chapter 4, employed in an academic position is assigned to a position in the classified service of the same district, the employee shall retain all sickness and injury, sabbatical leave, and other rights and benefits. All seniority and tenure rights accumulated by the employee at the time of assignment to the position in the classified service shall be secured to the employee during the period of time he or she occupies a position in the classified service. The employee's return to academic service at any time shall be treated as if there had not been an interruption in his or her-eertificated academic service.

SEC. 42. Section 87781 of the Education Code is amended to read:

87781. (a) (1) Every academic employee employed five days a week by a community college district shall be entitled to 10 days' leave of absence for illness or injury and any additional days in addition thereto that the governing board may allow for illness or injury, exclusive of all days he or she is not required to render service to the district, with full pay for a college year of service. An

(2) An employee employed for less than five schooldays a week shall be entitled, for a college year of service, to that proportion of 10 days' leave of absence for illness or injury as the number of days he or she is employed per week bears to five, and is entitled to those additional days in addition thereto as the governing board may allow for illness or injury to—certificated academic employees employed for less than five schooldays—a week; pay per week. Pay for any day of those absences shall be the same as the pay that would have been received had the employee served during the day. Credit

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(b) Credit for leave of absence need not be accrued prior to taking leave by the employee, and the leave of absence may be taken at any time during the college year. If the employee does not take the full amount of leave allowed in any school year under this section, the amount not taken shall be accumulated from year to year with additional days as the governing board may allow.

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(c) The governing board of each community college district shall adopt rules and regulations requiring and prescribing the manner of proof of illness or injury for the purposes of this section. These rules and regulations shall not discriminate against evidence of treatment and the need therefor by the practice of the religion of any well-recognized church or denomination.

# **Nothing**

(d) Nothing in this section shall be deemed to modify or repeal any provision in Chapter 3 (commencing with Section 120175) of Part 1 of Division 105 of the Health and Safety Code.

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(e) Section 87780 does not apply to the first 10 days of absence on account of illness or accident of any employee employed five days-a per week or to the proportion of 10 days of absence to which the employee employed less than five days-a per week is entitled hereunder on account of illness or accident or to additional days granted by the governing board. Any employee shall have the right to utilize sick leave provided for in this section and the benefit provided by Section 87780 for absences necessitated by pregnancy, miscarriage, childbirth, and recovery therefrom.